Chapter 34:
A HUMBLE SERVANT

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MO!!

HEY!!

WOOSH

GYAA!!

I'LL SPLIT YOU IN TWO!!

IT'S NOT JUST FOR HYPNO-TIZING PEOPLE!

THAT'S A CHAK-RAM!

SWOP

WZZ

GR

RR

NAMI, YOU CREEP!!

!!?

SHUNK!!

POM

WHY'D YOU HAVE TO STEP ON MY HEAD!?

LUFFY!!

!!!?

UGH...

...!!!

HMM-- OR MAYBE NOT SO LOUSY!!

WHAT LOUSY TIMING...

WHAT!? HE'S STILL ALIVE!?

GRK

I THOUGHT HE DIED WHEN HE FELL OFF THE CLIFF!

THAT LAD?

IMPOSSIBLE!! HE'S STILL STANDING?

TOMO!

UH...

...

...!!

SWUK...!!!

UH...

YAAAA

UH...

LOOKS LIKE...

....

OW!!

...LUFFY'S
BACK
IN
ACTION!!

DOOM

THAT
HURT!!!

AAAGH!!

WE GOT
LESS THAN
FIVE
MINUTES
LEFT!

BUCKETS
O' BLOOD!!
NOW
WHAT!?

FWUMP !

IT WASN'T ME, LUFFY!!

THAT REALLY HURT!!!

...

I'VE DONE ALL I CAN. I'M LEAVING THE REST TO YOU.

IT'S NOTHING. I'M FINE.

YOUR SHOULDER'S BLEEDING.

THIS IS ONE FIGHT WE GOTTA WIN!!

!

AFTER ALL...

KSH

HMPH!! THAT'S MORE LIKE YOU!

SAME OLD NAMI.

TA-DAH!!

THERE'S A LOT OF TREAS-URE ON THE LINE!!

KRK

NAMI?

DO OM!!

HEY...

...!!

THE EVIL BUTLER IS HERE...

SHUFF

...BEFORE I MASSACRE EVERYONE.

!!

THREE MINUTES LEFT...

...CAN'T STOP THEM IN ONLY THREE MINUTES!!

EVEN CAPTAIN DJANGO AND BUTCHIE...

NO!!

AAAAAAAAAA

SHUFF

!

I'LL TAKE THE STRAW-HAT BRAT!!

UMF!

BUTCHIE! THERE'S NO TIME TO THINK!

YOU KILL THE GUY WITH THE TRUSS!!

STOP!!

KLAHADORE!!

!!!!

SHE'S OUR *REAL* TARGET!

HEY! ISN'T THAT THE GIRL FROM THE MANSION?

WHAT'RE YOU *DOING* HERE!?

KAYA!!

WE JUST GOTTA KILL THE GIRL, RIGHT?

...

THEN WE DON'T NEED TO SACK THE VILLAGE?

WHAT BRINGS YOU HERE?

SWUP

WHAT A LOVELY SUR-PRISE, MISS KAYA...

?

...

...I HAD KILLED HIM.

I THOUGHT...

MERRY? HE LIVED?

MERRY TOLD ME EVERYTHING.

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THIS ISN'T KLAHADORE!

SOB

NO...

...!!?

I JUST COULDN'T BELIEVE...

HOW CAN YOU EVER FORGIVE ME? I WAS SO WRONG ABOUT YOU.

...THAT KLAHA-DORE WAS A PIRATE.

...USOPP!!

I'M SORRY...

!

KRK!!

BUT AREN'T YOU FIGHTING THEM?!

THEY'RE OUT TO KILL YOU!!!

YOU'VE GOT TO ESCAPE!!

WHY'D YOU COME HERE?

IT'S OKAY, KAYA!!

...!!

OF COURSE! I'M... I'M A... BRAVE WARRIOR OF THE SEA!!

EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE BLEEDING ALL OVER?

EVEN THOUGH WE TREATED YOU SO HORRIBLY?

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...

JUST TAKE IT AND LEAVE THE VILLAGE ALONE!!

KLAHADORE!! IF YOU WANT MY FORTUNE, I'LL GIVE IT TO YOU!!

I'VE GROWN COMFORT-ABLE; I CAN EVEN RELAX.

I SPENT THREE YEARS EARNING THE TRUST OF THE VILLAGERS HERE.

MORNING, MR. KLAHADORE!

PEACE OF MIND.

NOT GOOD ENOUGH, MISS KAYA. YES, I WANT YOUR FORTUNE, BUT I ALSO WANT...

AND YOUR *ACCIDENTAL* DEMISE...

THUS THE PIRATE ATTACK ON THE VILLAGE...

...

ONLY WHEN I HAVE THAT PEACE OF MIND AND YOUR WEALTH...

WILL MY PLAN HAVE BEEN ACCOMP-LISHED.

HE'S NOT THE MAN YOU KNEW!!!

KAYA, RUN!! DON'T WASTE YOUR BREATH ON HIM!!!

!!

ARE BOTH QUITE ESSENTIAL.

K

LIK

OOO!!

!!!

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...

HMM. YOU'VE REALLY GROWN UP IN THE LAST THREE YEARS...

LEAVE THIS VILLAGE ALONE!!

!?

A PISTOL!!

WE WENT SAILING TOGETHER...

YOU AND I SPENT A LOT OF TIME TO-GETHER.

EVEN BEFORE YOU LOST YOUR PARENTS AND BECAME ILL...

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AND I'VE BEEN AT YOUR SIDE FOR ALL THE CHANGES, HAVEN'T I?

I WAS EVER YOUR HUMBLE SERVANT!

I SUFFERED WITH YOU... I LAUGHED WITH YOU.

WHEN YOU HAD A FEVER, I STAYED AT YOUR BEDSIDE DAY AND NIGHT...

TOOK TRIPS INTO TOWN...

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AND I ENDURED IT...

I HUMORED YOU, MISS KAYA, IN ALL YOUR SILLY DREAMS.

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THE DAY I COULD KILL YOU!!!

DOOM!

ALL FOR TODAY!!

BOWED AND SCRAPED TO A SPOILED LITTLE GIRL...

I, WHO WAS ONCE THE DREAD CAPTAIN KURO...

VILLAIN...

CAN YOU FATHOM MY HUMILI-ATION?

WUP

...!!!

AND CATERED TO HER EVERY WHIM, DAY AND NIGHT.

RAAAH!

KURO!!

THAT REMINDS ME...

USOPP...

USOPP!?

YOU HIT ME WITH ALL YOUR MIGHT!

SWISH

!!?

I STILL OWE YOU FOR HITTING ME.

BAM

!!!?

CAPTAIN KURO IS DOWN!!

WUMP

WH-WHAT WAS THAT!!?

I'LL PUNCH YOU A HUNDRED TIMES MORE!!!

KRK

IF YOU DON'T LIKE GETTING HIT...

Q&A: READER SUGGESTIONS

WHAT SHOULD WE PUT IN FUTURE VOLUMES OF ONE PIECE?

READER: I HAVE THE LUFFY DOLL THAT CAME WITH VOLUME 1 (OF THE JAPANESE EDITION) DISPLAYED IN MY ROOM RIGHT NOW. IT LOOKS PRETTY GOOD.
SO I'D LIKE YOU TO OFFER MORE OF THE SAME. YOU COULD MAKE A ZOLO DOLL FOR VOLUME 3, NAMI FOR VOLUME 4, AND USOPP FOR VOLUME 5. AND I'LL BE SURE TO BUY EACH NEW BOOK TO ENLARGE MY COLLECTION!

R: HOW ABOUT A FASHION SHOW WITH LUFFY AND FRIENDS, AND MAYBE THEIR ENEMIES, TOO? YOU COULD GET CLOTHING DESIGNS FROM YOUR READERS. WHAT DO YOU THINK?

R: I'D LIKE TO SEE AN ADVICE COLUMN CALLED "ASK LUFFY."

R: AN ANIMAL ENCYCLOPEDIA FOR THE ISLAND WHERE GAIMON LIVES.

R: A FEATURE ENTITLED "ONE PIECE DISSECTED." IT COULD HAVE DIAGRAMS SHOWING THE ABILITIES OF LUFFY'S BODY, OR WHAT THE INSIDE OF A PIRATE SHIP LOOKS LIKE.

R: PLEASE DRAW LUFFY AND THE OTHERS AS COWBOYS.

R: I THINK IT WOULD BE GOOD IF THERE WAS A PAGE FOR THE DRAWINGS OF LUFFY AND OTHER CHARACTERS SENT IN BY THE READERS.

R: A "HOW THE CHARACTERS WERE CREATED" FEATURE. LIKE YOU DID WITH AXE-HAND MORGAN IN VOLUME 1. TELL US YOUR EARLY IDEAS FOR LUFFY AND THE OTHER CHARACTERS.

ODA: THESE AND OTHER IDEAS HAVE BEEN COMING IN FROM READERS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. I'LL GIVE THEM A TRY. FOR VOLUME 5, WE'RE ADDING A NEW CORNER CALLED "USOPP'S PIRATE GALLERY". HERE'S A GREETING FROM OUR SPOKESMAN.

YES, WE'RE PLANNING TO SHOW FAN ART! BUT THIS IS GOING TO BE ON A SMALL SCALE. ODA SAYS THAT IF THERE IS A LOT, SELECTION WILL BE DIFFICULT. SO ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE THE WILL TO DRAW GREAT ART SHOULD TAKE THE CHALLENGE!

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